attendance of her Majesty is so contenting to her Highness and so commendable in this place where she lives (where vices will hardly receive vizards and virtues will most shine) as her Majesty acknowledged! she hath cause to thank you for her, and you may take comfort of so virtuous a daughter, of whose being, love and attendance, her Majesty hath bidden me to tell your Ladyship that you shall have no cause to repent[y]

* SOLIMAN AND PEPSEDA '

The Tragedy of Soliman ani Perseia is entered for printing

jth December. UNWILLING CAPTAINS TO BE PUNISHED

Certain captains and soldiers of the forces ordered to pass from the Low Countries to Brittany excuse themselves for frivolous reasons It is ordered that the Deputy-Treasurer in the place shall withhold the pay and imprest money of any who refused to embark, and also inform the Governor, requiring him to commit the offender to prison, not to be released until he hath certified the Council and received direction.

Sth December CHETTLE'S [c] KINDHEART'S DREAM [3]

Chettle hath entered his *Kindheart's Dream*[y] wherein he taketh occasion to clear himself of the charges made against him for having allowed the letter in Greene's *Groans-worth of Wit* to be printed * With neither of them,[3] saith he, * that take offence was I acquainted, and with one of them I care not if I never be. The other, whom at that time I did not so much spare as since I wish I had, for that as I have moderated the heat of living writers, and might have used my own discretion, especially in such a case (the author being dead), that I did not, I am as sorry as if the original fault had been my fault, because myself have seen his demeanour no less civil than he excellent in the quality he professes, besides, divers of worship have

reported his up-
rightness of dealing, which argues his honesty and his facetious
grace in writing that approves his art For the first, whose
learning I reverence, and at the perusing of Greene's book stroke
out what then in conscience I thought he in some displeasure
writ, Kim I would wish to use me no worse than I deserve I
had only in the copy this share it was ill written, as sometimes
Greene's hand was none of the best; licensed it must be, ere it
could be printed, which could be never if it might not be read.